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## BREACH BETWEEN WILSON AND THE SENATE WIDENS

Washington, May 21.—The breach between President Wilson and senate forces demanding a senatorial aircraft investigation, opened again today following futile efforts to agree on a compromise that would stick. Efforts to adjust the differences have not been abandoned, but the committee promises admit there is little hope. Senator McKellar leader in the compromise movement, and author of a report favoring the Chamberlain resolution with amendments, gave notice today he will call up the resolution Wednesday.

Indications today are that a straight out fight will be waged, the issue being whether the senate will accept the president's view that appointment of Charles E. Hughes as a special investigator, and the new orders affecting the aircraft service makes needless any senate inquiry.

—HELP THE RED CROSS—

## MASTERS OF THE U-BOAT SITUATION

Venice, May 21.—"We have good reason to believe we are masters of the submarine situation in the Mediterranean," Admiral Del Bono, of the Italian navy declared in an interview here today. "A great many enemy submarines have been sunk in these waters. The situation is regarded with confidence."

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## AIRPLANE FACTORY DESTROYED BY FIRE

San Francisco, May 21.—Fire of unknown origin today destroyed an airplane factory in the heart of San Francisco and an hour and a half after it started, was threatening to devastate several stocks of wooden buildings south of Market street.

The fire started in the Emanuel Cabinet works at 11th and Howard streets where Robert Fowler was manufacturing airplanes under contract for the war department. Fowler declared thousands of dollars worth of liners for airplane wings was in the factory and had been destroyed.

Mrs. Joseph L. Emanuel, wife of the owner of the place, said anonymous letters threatening to "bomb" the factory had been received.

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## NEW ALLIANCE IS STRONGLY OPPOSED

The Hague, May 21.—Count Czernin, former Austro-Hungarian foreign minister and Count Von Hertling and Dr. Von Kuehlmann, German chancellor and foreign minister, respectively oppose the recent Austro-German alliance effected by Kaiser Wilhelm and Emperor Karl, according to reports received from Vienna and Berlin today.

Czernin, it was said, openly opposed the arrangement while Hertling and Kuehlmann washed their hands of the affair, after objecting to the military convention, in which the militarists utterly ignored them.

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## SEVEN THOUSAND MEN GOING SOUTH

Camp Taylor, Ky., May 21.—Seven thousand men will leave Camp Taylor the latter part of this week for a southern camp to fill a replacement division. They are men who were called in the last draft and their preliminary training has been completed.

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## DENOUNCE "KULTUR" IN U. S. COLLEGES

Hot Springs, Ark., May 21.—Baptists of the south were today on record as opposing the "false sociology" based of materialistic unbelief, they claim has found its way into American universities, "which reek with German kultur."

A resolution, admittedly aimed at a Chicago university, condemning this phase of education, precipitated a bitter fight and was passed at the final session late yesterday.

Condemnation of the "widespread divorce evil" was expressed in another resolution which admonished Baptist ministers to refuse to marry divorces on the ground of infidelity, as defined by the bible.

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## NOTHING TO REPORT.

With the American Armies in France, May 21.—The official communique issued at American headquarters last night says: "Except for artillery firing on both sides in various sectors there was nothing new to report today."

—DO YOUR BIT—

## OVER MILLION FIRST DAY.

Cleveland, May 21.—Scattering returns today from less than 10 per cent of the Red Cross chapters in the lake division, including Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky showed \$1,500,248 subscribed yesterday, the first day of the Red Cross war fund campaign.

## GOVERNMENT MAY ESTABLISH MOTOR PARCEL POST ROUTE

Dublin, May 21.—Dublin today is outwardly still very calm. The streets are thronged with groups of men discussing the blow which fell upon the Sinn Fein when more than 100 arrests were made. It is evident the government's swoop made a clean sweep of rebel leaders in every community. It has left the Sinn Feiners guideless and uncertain what action to take next, although they immediately appointed Alderman Kelly and John MacNeill to replace Devalera and Griffith. Kelly and MacNeill are of the milder element and are expected to counsel moderation and no violence.

In their street talk, the Sinn Feiners defy the government to show proof of a German plot for an Irish uprising and demand the proof be quickly produced. The more rabid ones savagely and openly avow that talk of German influences is a plot by England to kill Sinn Feinism. They declare that if the government fails to show proof of Germany's handiwork, they'll "do something." But they seem uncertain about what they will do. A majority of the moderates describe themselves as being anti-English, pro-Irish and not pro-German.

If the government has "got the goods" they say, "then we'll repudiate our leaders and get others. However, we do not believe that so many have been connected with a German plot."

Those who know Ireland best refuse to predict what will happen. One said: "I don't know whether it is a powder mine awaiting the spark, or not."

Sinn Fein headquarters have reopened. Officials announced that 84 leaders have been arrested and that they expected more arrests.

The interior of Ireland is calm. Evening newspapers demand the government produce proof of its German claims and charge that the government announced the alleged plot simultaneously with the visit of the American labor delegates so as to blacken Ireland in the eyes of the Americans.

The American labor men have met Lord French, lord lieutenant of Ireland and John Dillon, M. P.

All Sinn Feins are deeply interested in what effect will be produced on the U. S. by the events now transpiring.

The anti-conscription fund, it was learned today, is now nearly \$1,000,000.

—DO YOUR BIT—

## OFFICIAL REPORT OF FIELD MARSHAL HAIG

London, May 21.—Successful British raids in Flanders and Picardy, active hostile artillery firing in Flanders and near Arras and the repulse of a German attack on the western portion of the Flanders front was reported by Field Marshal Haig today. "Surrey troops carried out a successful local operation northwest of Merville yesterday evening and brought back thirty prisoners and six machine guns," the statement said.

"A hostile counter-attack at the same point early this morning, following a heavy bombardment, was broken up by our artillery and machine guns.

"We made a successful raid south-east of Arras last night, taking a few prisoners and a machine gun.

"Hostile artillery fire was more active than usual about Hebuterne, between the Neippe forest and Meteren, between the Scarpe and Hill 70 and north of Lens.

"Gas shelling was reported heavy north of Bethune yesterday."

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## WAR LORDS HAVING TROUBLE EXPLAINING TO HUNGRY PEOPLE

Washington, May 21.—Germany, slicing her bread and meat rations, is having trouble at home explaining why her war lords do not push victoriously on in Italy and France. Diplomatic cables today revealed this predicament.

American officials predicted as a result, Germany would make one or two more desperate smashes in the west and then set in motion her insidious peace factory.

Troubles in moving heavy artillery are assigned by Teuton shock absorbers as the reason for the delay in resuming the west front offensive.

"Unfavorable weather conditions," including an exaggerated flood on the Rhine, are assigned as the excuse for the Italian delay.

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## BOB MOHA WINS.

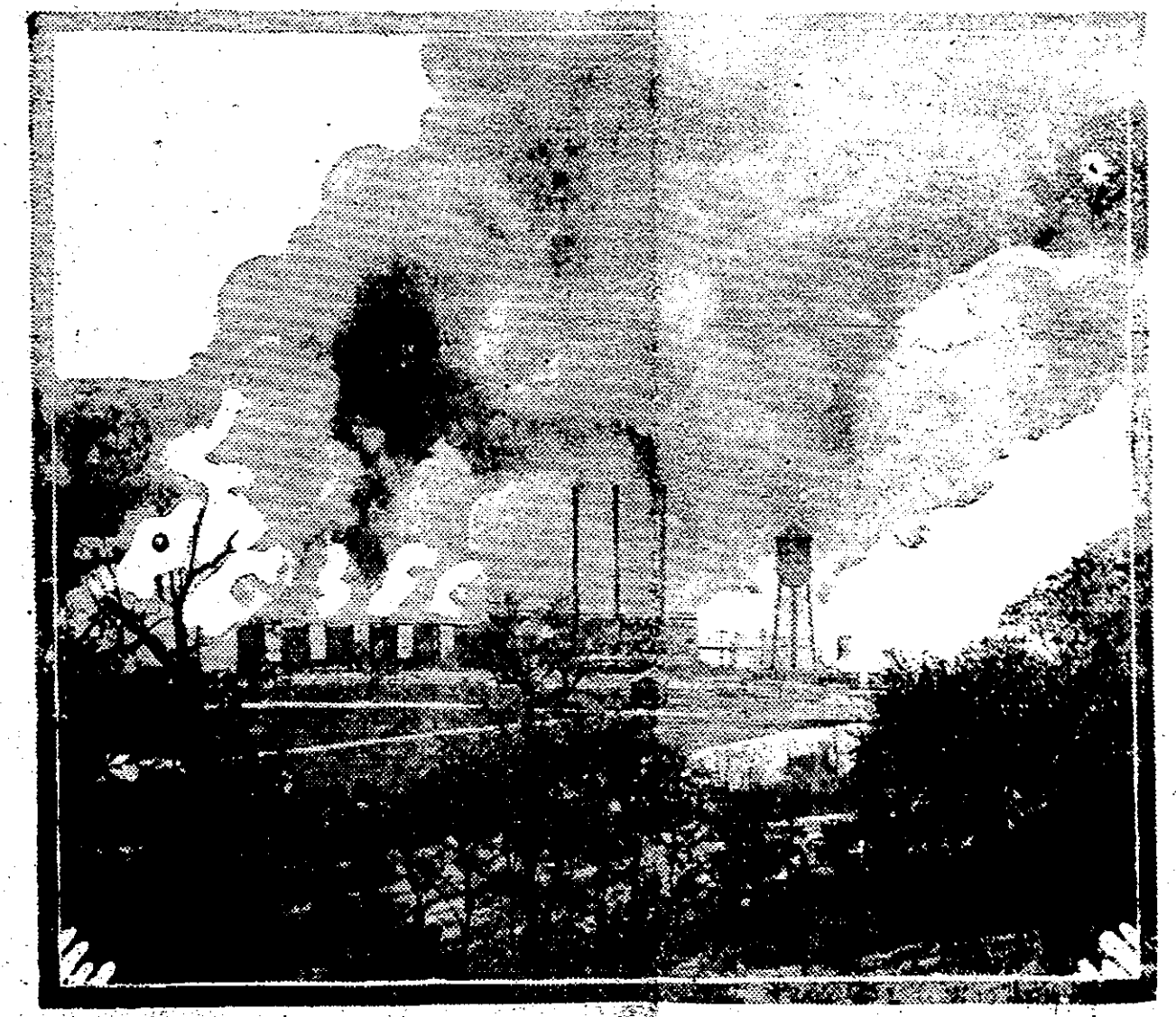
Racine, Wis., May 21.—Bob Moha of Milwaukee, won a decision over Phil Harrison of Chicago, here last night, in a quiet ten rounds.

—DO YOUR BIT—

## CAPTAIN HALL IS ALIVE.

With the American Army in Lorraine, May 20.—(Night)—Captain James Norman Hall of Colfax, Ia., who was brought down behind the German lines, May 7, is alive in a German hospital, it was learned today. He is wounded but not seriously.

DENSE SMOKE CLOUDS RISE TO SKY WHEN T. N. T. LETS GO:  
ONLY RUINS NOW WHERE GREAT MUNITIONS PLANT STOOD



This picture was taken immediately following the explosion of a T. N. T. tank at the Oakdale, Pa., munitions factory, where between eighty and ninety lives were lost. Dense smoke clouds are seen rising to the sky. The T. N. T. tank shown in the picture was destroyed in a later explosion. When it, too, let go the entire plant was destroyed.

## PRESIDENT WILSON DETERMINED TO SAVE RUSSIA FROM THE GERMANS

Washington, May 21.—President Wilson is set upon a definite campaign to thwart Germany's intention to subjugate Russia—and eventually use her people against the allies.

While there is a feeling among American and Allied military men that Russia could not again organize an effective fighting force, in less than two years there is a feeling here that she can and must be saved from German domination.

The president's address in New York emphasized that any hope that Germany might have of getting peace in the west at the expense of Russia or other Slavic peoples in the east is futile.

When the president first took this stand after the Bolsheviks drew Russia out of the war, his position was not enthusiastically concurred in by the other allies. Today, however, the president's attitude is regarded by them all as right. And as America's military position in France strengthens—it will not be very long before there are more American troops than British in the west—so will her diplomacy command attention.

This is held to signify that the Russian democracy, is to be safeguarded unless it join in the war on the side of Germany.

Some foreign diplomats here however, believe that only a miracle now can save Russia from the clutches of

Prussian rule unless allied intervention is made soon. While chaos reigns in Russia the Germans are gradually restoring law and order and may ultimately gain the favor of the Russian people, these diplomats fear.

After quieting and winning the Russian people Germany could compel them to work in German munition factories so that many thousands of German workers may be released for active military service.

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## OFFICIAL EVIDENCE WILL BE PUBLISHED

London, May 21.—Official evidence of complicity between Sinn Fein leaders and Germany will be made public shortly it was learned here today.

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## 5,000,000 CARS IN U. S. A.

There are more than 5,000,000 cars in use in this country.

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## LOCOMOTIVES USED TO PULL DEBRIS OFF BODIES OF THE DEAD

Oakdale, Pa., May 21.—Giant locomotives tugging at cables attached to the standing frame work and heavier debris at the Aetna Chemical company's plant today cleared the way to more bodies among the ruins.

Official estimate of the dead in the disaster stood at 175 this morning, with a possible hundred or more to add to that grim tally.

Investigation went on with the questioning of witnesses regarding alleged habitual use in the plant of chemical substances forbidden in government bulletins issued several months ago.

—DO YOUR BIT—

## AMERICA'S FIRST FIELD ARMY HAS 200,000 FIGHTERS

Washington, May 21.—America's first field army—approximately 200,000 men—has been formed in France. It is understood to consist of two army corps of three divisions, each with Col. A. W. Bjornstad as chief of staff. Major General Hunter Liggett, is understood to command one of the army corps.

While no official announcement has been made of the make-up of this first army, it was suggested by army officers here that Major General Charles T. Menoher, probably will be its commander. Both field and corps commanders are expected to receive the rank of Lieutenant General by act of Congress when Pershing makes his recommendations.

The American division, of which it is understood there will be three to a corps, consists of thirty thousand men. In addition, however, each corps has some 10,000 "corps troops," heavy artillery, aero squadrons, field artillery, cavalry and pioneer regiments—making each corps approximately 100,000 men.

Unless the British army is greatly reinforced in the next two or three months, it is likely that by August 1, the number of United States troops in France will approximate the size of Haig's forces now facing the Germans.

This startling revelation of gigantic strides being made by this country in putting men on the firing line came today from authoritative circles here.

Brigading of American troops with the British continues. Presumably men of the national army are the ones used to take their places with British.

Formation of the field army is accomplished by the use of seasoned troops which have been in France for a long period.

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## CHICAGO TICKET OFFICE COMBINED

Washington, May 21.—Consolidation of the thirty seven railroad ticket offices in Chicago has been ordered by Director General McAdoo, it was announced today. The annual rental saving will be approximately \$200,000. The office will be located on the ground floors of the Insurance Exchange Building, Jackson boulevard, with a frontage from Sherman to Wells street.

The aggregate saving will exceed \$16,000,000 a year.

## FIGHTING SPEEDING UP PREPARATORY TO EXPECTED HUN DRIVE

London, May 21.—Fighting is speeding up on all fronts, according to the night official reports. Successful coups were made by allied troops in Flanders, in Picardy, in Southern France, on the Italian front and in Macedonia.

French troops, attacking east and Northeast of Lochre, on the northern portion of the Flanders front, gained all their objectives last night on a front of nearly 2 miles, Field Marshal Haig reported.

BY WILLIAM PHILLIP SIMMS.

With the British Armies in France, May 21.—Night—General Macensen is widely reported to be on the west front, ready to strike the moment Field Marshal Hindenburg finds an opening.

I calculate that a hundred divisions of shock troops (1,200,000 men) are awaiting Hindenburg's order. Forty of these are fresh, not having been used in this season's fighting.

The other sixty have been out of the line long enough to be rested and doped up morally by Germany's professional spirit boosters.

Hindenburg's forces on the west front have reached the exact figure given me in February as the maximum ultimately at his disposal, without a radical change being wrought in the relations between the Central Empires. Therefore, without prophesying what will be the nature of his next blow, or blows, this effort naturally ought to be his final or semi-final attempt.

From now on, all prisoners return-

ing from Russia, together with the 1919 class, returned wounded and the rest, probably will barely suffice to keep his active divisions up to anything like their intended strength.

The Kaiser may undertake elaborate feints here and there, but the indications are his main thrust will be against the British or the French and British combined.

My information is that the Germans will hammer the British with the bulk of their army, simultaneously spreading propaganda to the effect that the British do not fight, as well as the other allies, in order to create friction among the entente nations.

Meanwhile prisoners admit that German mouths are still watering for Amiens and the cool, green valley of the Somme, stretching toward the sea.

Thus with double objectives, one impudent and sinister, the other daring and desperate—Hindenburg may be expected shortly to set the western battle front ablaze.

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## AMERICANS AND FRENCH PAY HOMAGE TO DEAD AMERICAN 'ACE'

With the American Army in Lorraine, May 20.—(Delayed) American and French soldiers pause this afternoon in the game of war, wherever possible to pay homage to Major Raoul Lufberry, the great American ace, who was killed in an air fight Sunday morning. The funeral services were held in a hospital within the sound of the big guns, French and American aviators were present in large numbers. A French General and an American General also paid tribute to the fallen aviator.

The coffin draped with an American flag, was carried by four French

aviators to a tiny, grassy cemetery behind the hospital. Infantry companies were lined up on one side of the road while officers and aviators were drawn up on the other.

A group of American aviators hovering about the grave, showered the coffin with flowers as the chaplain completed the rites.

During the services, a report received from an American observer in the front lines that a German plane had been brought down by one of Lufberry's comrades.

"It's as Raoul would want it," said an American air man. "He'd care far more to have a boche brought down than to have elaborate services in his honor."

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## HELPING MAKE THE U-BOAT A FAILURE



George Leggues.

As minister of marine in the French cabinet, George Leggues helps in the plans for curbing German U-boats. He recently issued a statement showing that more merchant ships are being built than the Germans are destroying, and that more German U-boats are being destroyed than the Germans are building.

## EX-VICE PRESIDENT FAIRBANKS VERY ILL

Indianapolis, May 21.—Following an examination by physicians this morning, it was stated that Charles Warren Fairbanks' condition was still very serious.

"There is no improvement," the physician announced.

Although the former vice-president spent a quiet night causing members of the family who were at his bedside to believe his condition was improved, the physicians declare that he was in an extremely critical condition.

Dr. J. C. McDonald, who has been attending the former vice-president, today indicated there was little hope for recovery. The physicians and family refused to make any statement regarding the nature of the illness, but it is understood to be Bright's disease.

—HELP THE RED CROSS—

## GERMANS SEIZE THE DUTCH SHIP

Amsterdam, May 21.—German planes have seized the Dutch ship Oneta and have taken it to a port in the North Sea. It is reported the cargo consisted of foodstuffs.



# Local Items

Mrs. Clara Jones is recovering from a very serious operation which was performed April 15 at St. Elizabeth hospital, Dayton, and will soon be able to be removed to her home near Osborn.

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Ireland of Home Avenue, entertained at Sunday dinner for Mrs. Ireland's father, Mr. A. B. Thomas, of Jamestown, O. The event being Mr. Thomas' 73rd birthday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Thomas of Jamestown, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cline and family of Port William, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Thomas of Paintersville, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thomas and sons Clarence and Paul of Dayton, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Weaver of Xenia, Mr. and Mrs. Donald McPherson of Xenia, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Weaver and son Harry of near Maple Corner and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fawcett and son Lawrence of Xenia.

## GET AT DONGES

Under the head "News Our Grandfathers Read," the Ohio State Journal prints the following from its issue of June 17, 1854: "On Saturday last the track of the Dayton and Xenia Railroad was laid down to within a few hundred yards of the Dayton terminus. On Saturday of this week, it is intended to run the first train through from Dayton to Xenia."

Maccabees' Benefit Dance tonight, 25 cents.

The Jolly Nine, a social club, organized by nine young ladies of Xenia, had a delightful outing at Kikkare Park last Saturday. They were accompanied by Miss Louise Shafer and enjoyed themselves immensely. The members of the club are Henrietta and Maude Winn Monroe, Florence Chew, Bertha Beatrice Hyman, Anna Jones, Pauline Sutton, Margaret Jewett, Helen and Bessie Reutinger.

Miss Lucille Stokes returned to Indianapolis, Ind., Sunday, having spent a pleasant three weeks' visit with friends and relatives in Xenia.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Mt. Zion Reformed church will give an ice cream social in social room Saturday evening, May 25.

Oscar Whitlow, who has been working in Wilmington, has resigned his position and is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Melvin Swadner, of Laddow Road, before leaving for camp.

Carl Burrows, former well known Xenia young man, who is in the radio service, and has been training at Edison since Sunday afternoon, returned after a trip by boat from California. He expects to be in the East a short time before sailing, and his aunt, Mrs. George Shroades, of this city, with whom he made his home for years, and his mother, Mrs. Wright, of Dayton, started Tuesday for New York, with the hope of seeing him. Young Burrows had expected to be permitted to come home, but all furloughs were revoked.

Mrs. A. Moser and Mrs. P. A. Wright will be hostesses at the thimble party for women of the Reformed church, which will be held at the home of Mrs. Moser, on West Second street, Thursday afternoon. All the women of the church are invited to attend the party.

Miss Helen Maxwell has been called to Columbus on account of the illness of her sister, Mrs. Clarice Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Donnelly, of South Detroit street, are the parents of a son, born Tuesday morning.

Mrs. W. C. Hewitt, wife of Dr. Hewitt, at the O. S. and S. O. Home, who has been in an unconscious condition since Sunday afternoon, remains about the same. There is no hope for her recovery.

Mrs. Frank Lucas is critically ill at her home on Center street. She was brought home Saturday from the St. Elizabeth Hospital, Dayton, where she had been a patient two weeks, but her condition is not improved. Her trouble is said to be due to a nervous breakdown, and she is partially paralyzed.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank all friends who assisted us in any way during the illness and death of Mrs. Creasia Croley, especially do we wish to thank Reverend Allen for his consoling words and the choir for their beautiful songs, the friends at the Xenia Stemmery, Mr. Earl Shorts and family, Mr. David Watts and family and all others for their floral contributions. Mr. Adam Croley, husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchell and family.

## Xenia Man Loses Hundreds of Dollars

"I am sorry I did not hear of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy a few years ago, as it would have saved me several hundred dollars. Five years I suffered from indigestion and severe bloating. I grew worse all the time. My doctor said an operation would be all that could save me. I took a course of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy instead and for the past year have been entirely well." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Sayre & Hemphill.

## WEATHER REPORT

Fair tonight and Wednesday, warm on Wednesday.

Mrs. Abbie Farrell is seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Gorham, on Mechanic street. She is suffering from the infirmities of old age, and is gradually growing weaker.

Tom Padgett, former enian, who is now connected with the Western Union at its Columbus office, is spending two weeks' vacation in this city.

The congregation of the Clifton Presbyterian church has extended a unanimous call to the pastorate of their church, to the Rev. David McKinney, of Johnston, O. The congregation has been without a pastor for about six months, since the Rev. Henry Foster was called to another church.

The Studebaker street flusher, the new street cleaning machine of the city, has arrived here and will soon be unloaded from the freight car. The flusher will not be started in operation until the factory representative arrives, which is expected to be the last of this week.

Sheriff Frank A. Jackson received by mail today several souvenirs from his brother-in-law, John M. Townsley, of Cedarville, a member of the 136th Field Artillery at Camp Sheridan, in the package was a broken case and a number of shrapnell bullets.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Allen and family have been called to "Somerset," Ohio, on account of the death and burial of Mrs. Allen's father, W. B. Kanan.

## Serpent as God of Healing.

The ancient Greeks made the serpent the guardian of the Temple of Esculapius, the god of healing, and depicted him as bearing a staff entwined with this symbolic figure. In like manner the Old Testament tells of the brazen serpent fashioned for the cure of the erring Hebrews who were healed as they looked upon it. On Greek vases are found representations of a woman feeding a snake with a saucer-like vessel, just as the savages in Africa feed their gods of the bush today. Undoubtedly this is Hygiea, the goddess of healing. Here in America the Hopi Indians keep alive the tribal mystery of the snake through their dances, performed that the harvest may be sure and abundant. Other tribes also have their snake dances.

## Old Ways of Telling Time.

In remote ages the Japanese and Chinese used a knotted wick to record time, two feet in length. The wick burned slowly and each knot recorded an hour. Philip II of Spain is said to have used an oil lamp for the same purpose. The oil was contained in a glass receptacle, on which was a scale marking the hours from four in the afternoon to eight the next morning, and the height of the liquid upon the scale would show the time. A 12-inch candle, of which three inches would burn away in an hour, is supposed to have been used by King Alfred.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We, the family, wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to those friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted in any way in our sad bereavement in the loss of our dear son and brother, Ellis Simpson. Mother, sisters and brother.

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Mrs. James Thornton has returned home after a visit with Miss Fern Sunkle, in Washington, D. C.

Judge Cleveland, of Wilmington, occupied the common pleas bench Monday to hear arguments in a motion for a new trial in the case of Wilson vs. Wilson. Briefs will be submitted by counsel and the motion passed upon later.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Galvin and son, Wayne, and Kenneth Kerr, spent Sunday in Washington, D. C., where they enjoyed a family dinner at the home of Mrs. J. D. Kerr, celebrating Kenneth Kerr's 21st birthday.—Washington Herald.

## Longevity Statistics.

A child born today has about ten times as many chances of living and growing to maturity as had the child born 80 years ago. On the other hand, a man forty years old has fewer years to live than had the man of the same age 80 years ago. Medical statistics prove that infant mortality and preventable diseases are decreasing, whereas degenerative diseases and cancer are increasing. However, the gravity of the wastage of adult life will not be appreciated until there is a nation-wide registration of the sick.—Popular Science Monthly.

## POLICE COURT

Edward, "Pack" Jackson, colored, arrested several weeks ago by State liquor detectives Phillips and Lininger, was fined \$500 and costs by Police Judge Smith, Tuesday morning. The fine was imposed when the Judge overruled the plea of Jackson's attorney, F. L. Johnson, for a new trial. The case will be carried to the common pleas court, and a bond of \$500 fixed by Judge Smith, was furnished by Jackson. The bond was signed by William Shields.

Wyatt Cros, colored, arrested for plain drunk, was fined \$1 and costs, when arraigned before Police Judge Smith, Tuesday morning.

The youths, taken from a Pennsylvania passenger train in this city, because they did not have tickets, were arrested by Railroad Detective Hayes and taken to police headquarters. The lads were arraigned before Police Judge Smith Tuesday morning, and were given a stiff lecture. They were returned to their cells and an effort will be made to secure work for them here.

The three lads were all from Indianapolis and gave their names, ages and addresses as follows: Walter

Scheiffe, 19, 1233 W. Ray street; Henry Phillips, 18, 415 Kentucky avenue; John Eddington, 18, 528 Lexington avenue. They claimed they were going to Maryland to work.

## NOTICES

Copy for notices to appear in this column must be furnished before 10 a. m. of day of publication.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Agnes C. Nichols, North Galloway street, Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock.

No Such Dishonesty.  
"Do you assimilate your food, aunt?" "No, sah, I doesn't. I buys it open and bones' sah."

## Wants to Help Other Men.

M. W. Taylor, Calvert, Ala., writes "To Whom It May Concern: I recommend Foley Kidney Pills, the best I ever used. I tried different remedies, but none gave me relief like Foley's. They restore regular action of kidneys and bladder and relieve backache, rheumatic pains, stiff joints, sore muscles. Sayre & Hemphill.



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The Red Cross is asking for \$100,000,000. It is necessary, every cent of it, to "carry on" the work the Red Cross alone can do.

Now is the time to give—to deny yourself the luxuries and comforts you can easily do without, that the Red Cross may save men's lives; feed and clothe the tens of thousands of homeless and fatherless children of devastated Europe care for the mothers whose hearts and souls have been numb with horror.

Give every cent you can spare, not because your neighbor gives, but because other men's lives depend on your contribution.

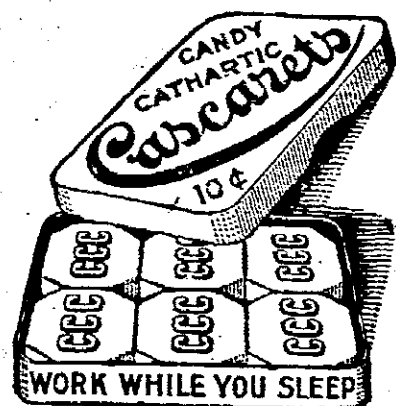
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## "POSTPLANE SERVICE" BY "CLOUDLAND ROUTE" NOW REALITY



President and Mrs. Wilson at the start-off; below, left to right, Lieut. James C. Edgerton and his little sister, Lieut. George L. Boyle and Major R. J. Fleet.

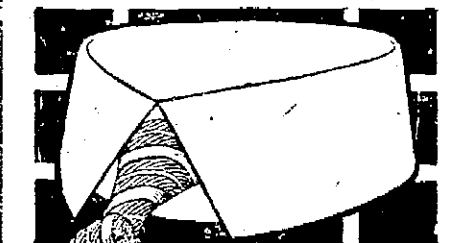
Cloudland service by cloudland route, they call it in New York and Washington. Those less poetic refer to it as aerial mail service between America's capital and America's metropolis. President and Mrs. Wilson were among the most interested spectators of the inauguration of airplane mail, and the president dropped the last missive in the bag. Postmaster Merritt L. Chance of Washington and Postmaster General Burleson are shown in the upper photo just after receiving the letter which the president has tossed into the sack. Lieut. James C. Edgerton brought the first mail into Washington by airplane, covering the lap from Philadelphia to the capital. He was greeted at the landing field by his little sister, Lieut. George L. Boyle made the first trip with aerial mail from Washington. Maj. R. H. Fleet is in charge of the government's airplane mail service.

## CLASS OF FORTY MEN GIVEN DEGREES

After attending services at St. Bridget's church at 7:30 o'clock Sunday morning, members of Xenia council, Knights of Columbus held initiatory exercises at the Knights of Pythias Hall, and a class of forty men received degrees.

The Rev. Lawrence Yeske of Mt. St. John, was celebrant of the Mass and preached a brief, but excellent sermon. He pictured the true knight of today, not as the armored knight of old, who battled for chivalry and the wrestling of the Holy Land from the Musselman, but one who makes a peaceful fight for honor, truth, morality and purity. He referred to the patriotic war work of the Knights of Columbus.

The first and second degrees of the order were administered at the K. of P. hall by degree staff of Dayton Council, No. 500. District Deputy J. J. Donovan of Ludlow, Ky., and staff exemplified the third degree. Mr. Donovan, who is a very able speaker, gave a fine patriotic address.



**NEW ARROW COLLARS FOR SPRING**  
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## SIXTEEN TO GRADUATE FROM JAMESTOWN H. S.

Commencement exercises of the Jamestown high school will be held this Tuesday night, when 16 graduates will be given diplomas. Superintendent Cookson of Troy will give the address.

Tuesday the Ross township centralized schools will hold closing exercises. In the morning mass day and the eighth grade commencement will be held, and in the afternoon the high school commencement will take place. President McChesney of Cedarville college will give the address.

The Xenia township schools will hold closing exercises Thursday at the First M. E. church, this city. Beginning at 9:30 the eighth grade commencement will be held. The dinner will be served in the church dining room and in the afternoon the grades will give a program. An exhibit of school work will be on display in the basement.

## HELP THE RED CROSS POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

I desire to announce my candidacy for the Republican nomination to the office of State Senator in this, the 5th-6th Ohio State Senatorial District, subject to the decision of the Republican electors of the district at the regular primary election on Tuesday, Aug. 13th, 1918.

Frank C. Parrett, Adv 5-21 Washington C. H., Ohio.

## REFORMED SYNOD CLOSURES ON MONDAY

After having been in session in Cedarville since last Wednesday night, the Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian church in North America adjourned Monday night.

Among the interesting matters which came up for discussion Saturday was the proposed alliance between the Reformed Presbyterian and Associate Presbyterian churches. The Rev. Daniel Zwir of Hammond, Ind., addressed the synod regarding this matter. The Rev. H. A. Benson of Clay Center, Kan., was appointed a fraternal delegate to carry the greetings of the synod to the Associate Synod, which is in session this week in Iowa, and to place the action of the R. P. Synod regarding consolidation before that body.

The Synod elected President, W. R. McChesney of Cedarville; college, dean of the theological seminary faculty.

Sunday was devoted by the Synod to a memorial service for the late Dr. J. L. Chesnut, at the R. P. church.

## DO YOUR BIT

Cultivate Good Habits. There are some simple habits which should be cultivated by all young people. First of all is faithfulness. This includes fidelity to one's promises, one's engagements, one's friends. Then comes kindness. No one has a right to hurt the life, or cloud the happiness, of another. The use of time, also, should be sacred. No one can be stilled in "killing time." The same words apply to the use of money. Money is time, and talent coined into silver and gold. Reading, letter-writing, personal appearance, dress, the keeping of Sunday, the making of friends, are all contributing factors to the making of a life. "It is more difficult to make a life than to make a living."

## DO YOUR BIT

An Embryo Humorist. In a certain family two of the help bear the name of Bertha. As one works upstairs and the other in the laundry, the youthful son of the house has suggested that the girls be known as upper and lower Bertha.—Boston Transcript.

## WOUNDED SOLDIER WRITES TO FATHER FROM THE FRONT

From a hospital back of the lines in war ridden France, Charles Murphy, of near Spring Valley has received a letter from his son Leon Murphy, who was recently wounded while discharging his duties in the first trenches.

The letter was the first explanatory word that has come from Mr. Murphy since he was wounded, a brief telegram from the government bringing the first news to his father several weeks ago. Owing to military regulations, Mr. Murphy was unable to tell in what manner he had been wounded or the seriousness of the wound. He said, however, that he was getting along nicely though still confined to the hospital. He explained too that he had received his wound while in the first line trenches. Mr. Murphy is an enlisted member of the 74th company, 6th regiment U. S. Marines, America's crack fighting unit. He hopes to be able to give details regarding his wound in a later letter.

Leroy "Handsome" Haines, also of Spring Valley is an ambulance driver connected with the same hospital that young Murphy is confined in.

## HELP THE RED CROSS HUNDREDS AT MASS DAY FESTIVITIES

Hundreds of people attended the annual Mass day festivities of the Beaver creek twp. school, which were held at the high school at Alpha. In the morning a miscellaneous program was given by the grades of the township schools. In the afternoon a Pioneer Pageant was given by the pupils of the Model school on the high school campus, under the direction of Misses Todd and Runyan. The children were well trained and beautifully costumed, and the pageant was very pretty and attractive.

The Grange served lunch and ice cream, but there were many picnic parties. Games of various kinds were played. The New Germany school band, consisting of twenty-six pieces, played throughout the day.

## COME ACROSS

## EDWARD HART TAKES SPLENDID POSITION

Edward Hart, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hart of South Monroe street, and an accomplished pianist and organist, has accepted an engagement as accompanist with a quartette on a large chautauqua circuit. Mr. Hart spent Sunday with his parents here and will leave for Chicago to join the Chautauqua bureau Tuesday. He will start out on the road June 1 and will travel through Wisconsin, Illinois and Missouri.

Mr. Hart has been taking a course at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music and on Sundays has been playing at the Baptist Church in Middletown. On his visit to this city he was accompanied by Mrs. Margery Hankinson Squires also of the conservatory and an opera singer with much promise. Sunday night, Mrs. Squires sang at the First M. E. Church accompanied by Mr. Hart on the organ.

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PETHEY DINK—Yes, Petey Will Have a Good Visit—W henhen He Learns French



By C. A. Voight



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## HOW UNCLE SAM PROTECTS HIS FIGHTING FORCES.

On October 6, 1917, the new War Risk Insurance Law went into effect, providing for protection of our soldiers, sailors and marines, and their families. On April 6, 1918, only six months later, Uncle Sam had written approximately \$14,000,000, 400 of war risk insurance on his fighting forces, covering upwards of 1,700,000 persons in the military and naval service. And it is said that it will not be long before the Bureau will be sending out a million checks per month. The legislation that went into effect on October 6, 1917, was really a group of laws—four acts co-ordinated for a common purpose.

The first measure in this unprecedented program of protection is the system of Allotments and Allowances. Every married enlisted man in the army and navy must allot from his pay at least \$15 per month, and not more than half his pay, towards the support of his wife and children. To this allotment the government adds certain allowances, depending upon the size of the family.

The second measure provides for stated compensation for death and disability incurred in the line of duty. This is the modern American substitute for pensions. The compensation, which ranges from \$20 to \$100 per month, is paid automatically by the government to certain specified beneficiaries, regardless of rank or pay, and without any cost to the recipient.

The third measure of protection is new outright Government Insurance against death and total permanent disability. In this the United States is a pioneer among the nations of the world, offering insurance up to \$10,000 to every member of its fighting forces. It is stated that \$58 per thousand was the lowest figure at which any insurance company could afford to accept soldiers and sailors as risks, and that for only one year. Thus \$10,000 life insurance, which under the government system would cost a soldier 26 years old \$80.40, would cost about \$580 with a private insurance company.

The fourth measure of protection embodied in the military and naval insurance act is the system of Re-education and Rehabilitation of men disabled in the war. This in itself is a task of vital importance and of great magnitude. It is only another evidence that ours is the most paternal government under the sun.

The statements given convey an idea of the immensity of the work of this great Bureau of War Risk Insurance. It has been forced to expand at an exceedingly rapid rate. The Bureau now occupies space in eight separate Washington City buildings, and has in employment more than 3,300 persons, working in two shifts, from nine o'clock in the morning until midnight.

The Bureau of War Risk Insurance is keeping the home fires burning. But it is doing more than that. It is keeping America's fighting forces confident of the government being behind them as no other nation ever was behind its army.

The bleak scepter of poverty, the humiliation of charity, the silent suffering of penniless pride—these are all eliminated by the government protection.

This entire system of protection afforded by the government is in the words of a Major General in the army, an element of Victory in the present war.

### DO YOUR BIT.

Stage People Often Traduced.  
It was Charles Dickens who wrote this memorable brief in behalf of the much misunderstood men and women of the stage: "One of the reasons why actors are constantly traduced is obvious. They live more than any other class under the public eye. There is a strong curiosity concerning them, and consequently any dubious story about their mode of life that prejudice may imagine, and the breath of scandal whiffles, is rapidly spread abroad and eagerly amplified. How many times have I heard that Mr. So-and-So is a very immoral person, when there is nothing on earth of which I am so well assured as that that person is a model of goodness and purity. If scandal hits upon a truth now and then, does it never hit upon a similar truth in regard to other society? Really, upon my conscience, I do not know what class is in a position to throw stones at the players."

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## MASS DAY EXERCISES TO BE HELD IN XENIA

The Mass Day exercises marking the close of the Xenia township schools will be held in the First M. E. Church, Xenia, all day Thursday of this week.

The forenoon's program beginning promptly at ten o'clock, will be devoted to the Eighth Grade Commencement.

A class of nineteen will receive certificates admitting them to any first grade high school in the state.

The afternoon's program beginning at 1:15 will consist of songs, drills, exercises, playlets and recitations of a patriotic order.

Xenia Township is closing a very successful school year. The school exhibit will be placed in the basement of the church Wednesday afternoon and may be inspected by the public Wednesday afternoon and all day Thursday.

All are welcomed to the exercises on Thursday.

### —HELP THE RED CROSS—

## BUSINESS MEN ASKED TO TAKE PART IN EXERCISES

The Secretary of the Xenia Business Men's association, received a letter from the Grand Army of the Republic, the Sons of Veterans and the Daughters of Veterans, thanking the association for its co-operation during the Memorial day exercises of last year and asking the association for like assistance this year.

Acting on the request, President C. W. Adair has appointed a committee composed of M. R. Simpson, Charles Keble and A. Moser, the duties of which will be to arrange for a delegation of business and professional men to take part in the exercises. It is hoped to have a representative assemblage of Xenia men march to the cemetery with the veterans and the organizations which have the exercises in charge.

Every business and professional man in the city should consider it his patriotic duty to take part in this ceremony in memory of the civil war veterans.

## DO YOUR BIT. THEATERS

### Bijou.

William Fox, who created the famous kiddie pictures, in which all the parts are taken by little children, has attained another great success in this line in "Aladdin and the Wonderful Lamp," one of the stories of our childhood, which appears at the Bijou Theater, Wednesday and Thursday matinee and night.

Appearing as Aladdin is Francis Carpenter, that very proper and accomplished little actor who puts some of his elders to shame with his ability in the pictures. Opposite him is that pretty little child-star Virginia Lee Corbin, whose portrayal of the Princess is wonderful. Those Fox Kiddies die the three Messenger kids and the others—all will delight you with their interpretation. The picture is one of the best of the kiddie series and is bound to please.

### Orphium.

Louise Lovely has a most charming vehicle in "A Rich Man's Darling," the Bluebird masterplay, which comes to the Orphium theater Wednesday night.

Though a new star in the Bluebird firmament, Louise Lovely has struck twelve in her initial productions and has made quite a reputation as a member of the Bluebird staff of artists. Supporting her in this play are Edna Maison, Philo McCullough, Harry Holden and Harry Mann.

### —DO YOUR BIT—

### Swarm.

It is impossible to name the real inventor of the submarine? Underwater boats have been a matter of study for 300 years. John P. Holland, an American, living in New York and New Jersey, developed the submarine to its present form. He built his first boat some time in the seventies, and in 1890 constructed one that met the approval of the naval authorities.

### —DO YOUR BIT—

### English Is Bad Enough.

Why talk of the difficulty of pronouncing Polish, Austrian, Russian or Roumanian names when ninety-nine out of every hundred cannot pronounce scores and scores of English names? Just think of Bertie pronounced as Barry, Dilwyn as Dillon, Belcor as Beaver, Featherstonhaugh as Festunhaw, Delzell as Dee-el, Ruthven as Rlyvan. And these are by no means the worst cases—San Francisco Chronicle.

### —DO YOUR BIT—

### Oil on "Troubled Waters."

The experiment on a large scale of smoothing water by means of oil was first made at Peterhead, England, by John Shields, 35 years ago. A force pump with 1,200 feet of lead and iron pipe was used to throw the oil upon the waves at the harbor's mouth. Although the sea was running high it became smooth as soon as the pump began to "pour oil upon the troubled waters."

## WELFARE LEAGUE TO BEAUTIFY CITY DUMPS

The Welfare League is making an effort to plant vines and tall growing plants around the unsightly dump piles, which one sees at the entrances to our city. The League would be very grateful for contributions of flowers of the variety which grow without much cultivation, sun-flowers, goldenglow, canna bulbs, etc. If any one has such plants would they please call Mrs. Chalmers Murphy, phone 650.

### —DO YOUR BIT—

## FRED L. MOORE IS SUMMONED AFTER A VALIANT STRUGGLE

A valiant struggle for health and strength terminated when Fred L. Moore passed away shortly before 1 o'clock, Tuesday afternoon, at the home of his father, Thomas M. Moore, on West Main street.

Ill for about a year and a half, Mr. Moore had never given up the fight to regain his lost health. His trouble began with bronchitis, which affected his lungs. A year ago last February he went to El Paso, Texas, where he entered a sanitarium, hopeful that his health would be restored in that climate.

For a time he gained in vigor, and his hopes and those of his family were that he would be completely restored to health.

The gain was only temporary, and he began to lose ground steadily. Mrs. Moore and the younger children joined him in El Paso, but when it was seen that he was not improving, it was decided to return to Xenia, he being eager to be back again among his relatives and friends.

About the last of January the little family party reached Xenia, and Mr. Moore was taken to the home of his father. The decline has been rapid since then, and for several days the end had been expected every moment.

Mr. Moore was born in this city, and passed the thirty-ninth anniversary of his birth last May 13. His mother died when he was a lad of about seven years of age. He attended the public schools here, and passed all his life in Xenia. His marriage with Miss Lillian Garfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Garfield, took place about 16 years ago, and with their five children, she survives him. The children are: Phillip, Leslie, Tom, Martha and Eleanor.

The little family has the tenderest sympathy of all their friends in their deep affliction.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

### —HELP THE RED CROSS—

### Song Brings Them Closer.

The song is not nearly so important as the singing of it. In numerous places community singing has been revived. It has been found that the spirit of the old New England town meeting is brought out by these community songs. After the people have joined their voices in a few familiar numbers they get together on other things. Many churches lost a great deal of their power to arouse communicants when they substituted paid choirs for congregational singing.—Exchange.

### —DO YOUR BIT—

### Where Ancients Excelled.

Although tunneling is among the most ancient of enterprises, more progress has been made in the last century than in the twenty centuries which preceded it. It is now known that back in the semimythical days of the Theban kings the long tunnel into the mountain rock, expending at a distance of 400 feet or so, into some lofty chamber, was a common work. The rock temples of Nubia and India, too, show that to certain masters at our rate moderns may still learn from the ancients.

### —HELP THE RED CROSS—

### Martyrdom of Bruno.

The first great philosopher of the renaissance and the first great martyr to modern science and free thought, Giordano Bruno, was burned at the stake in Rome 315 years ago. A great statue of Bruno, built by contributions from scientists and freethinkers of the world, now stands in the Campo Del Fiori, facing the Vatican, and a demonstration is held there every year on February 15. He taught that in all the diverse phenomena of the universe there must be something that gives unity and coherence to the whole, and that, as part of the divine whole, the human soul is immortal.

### —DO YOUR BIT—

LOOK INTO IT  
Saves You Sugar,  
Time, and Coffee  
Troubles.  
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## MEMORIAL SERVICES FOR DR. CHESNUT MOST IMPRESSIVE

A very beautiful and touching memorial service was held in the Reformed Presbyterian church, Cedarville Sabbath for the late Dr. J. C. Chesnut. This service was arranged by a committee appointed by the general synod which was in session in Cedarville, since Wednesday evening, May 15.

Rev. A. S. Creswell, moderator of general synod presided. Rev. Thomas White of Philadelphia offered the invocation. Rev. John Parks of Philadelphia, read the 91st psalm, and Rev. W. P. Harriman of Fairview, Pa., lead in prayer. Rev. Alexander Savage, D. D., of New Galilee, Pa., was the first speaker and he spoke very touchingly of the life work of Dr. Chesnut and quoted several passages of scripture and especially the passage "Thy dead men shall live." They shall live, he said in memory, in influence, in work accomplished, shall live until the Divine plan shall be accomplished. The memory of the just is blessed.

Rev. R. W. Chesnut, D. D., of Philadelphia, spoke of the memories of the early ministry and association of himself and Dr. Chesnut spoke of the sweet council they had together and of his influence in general synod, for good. At this time the 51st psalm was sung, this being one of Dr. Chesnut's favorites.

Rev. L. A. Benson of Clay Center, Kas., took for his theme the 34 psalm and the first verse. He mentioned the qualities in this beloved brother that caused the general synod to pause and under this memorial service, Rev. W. J. Smiley of Sparta, Ill., who was associated with Dr. Chesnut for over twenty years or more in the same presbytery, and as a co-laborer for Christ's Kingdom, spoke of the installation of Dr. Chesnut three years ago today, and now today of this memorial, said that his influence was always uplifting, he loved his church and continued faithful until the end. We should recognize the fact that ministers are a gift from God, sometimes God calls the worker home and always does what is best for "All things work together for good to them that love the Lord." We wonder why he had to suffer so long. God was preparing the family and the congregation for his removal. Prayer was offered by Dr. W. R. McChesney after which he as moderator of the Ohio presbytery, declared the pulpit of the Reformed cant.

### —HELP THE RED CROSS—

## COURT NEWS

By a decision rendered in Dayton, the court of appeals upheld the decision of Judge C. H. Kyle in the injunction suit brought by J. F. Harshman against the County Commissioners, to prevent the building of a concrete wall at the point where Gray's Run empties into Beaver Creek.

The court dissolved the temporary injunction and permitted the commissioners to build the wall, but ordered that another concrete wall, previously ordered by the Court of Appeals to be placed against the bank at another point, be lengthened.

### —HELP THE RED CROSS—

### Pet Seagull, 35 Years Old Dies.

"Charlie," a pet seagull belonging to the bishop of Elr, has died, after having been an occupant of the Palace gardens 28 years. It was caught on the Dorset coast 35 years ago.—From

### —DO YOUR BIT—

### PLAYING SAFE



"Yes; my daughter eloped."  
"I suppose you will forgive the young couple?"  
"Not until they have located a place to board."

### HE KNEW



The Preacher—I hope you don't believe all you see in the newspapers?  
The Merchant—Indeed I don't. I'm an extensive advertiser myself.

### —HELP THE RED CROSS—

## CUE RICKMAN TARGET OF REVOLVER USER

"Bang!"  
And one more window crashed into eternity.

It was a quarter to twelve o'clock—nearing the hour of mystery at night. The shot, fired from a revolver in the hands of a man across the street, passed so near to Cue Rickman, porter at the Sayre & Hemphill drug store, that it almost grazed him and he heard the lead whistle as it passed.

The bullet hurried by, however, and fractured a window pane in an empty house.

The shooting occurred on East Church street, a half block east of Columbus. A second and a half later Cue opened the front door of his home, went in and locked it behind him. He had covered the distance in almost nothing flat.

Almost the victim of a mysterious shot, Cue, who saw and recognized the man who fired the shot, will investigate the man's intentions.

### —HELP THE RED CROSS—

### Was a Born Comic.

Officer—"Say, Daisy, did you notice when I took hold of your hand what a funny look that man gave me?" She—"Go on, dear; he didn't give it to you—you've always had it!"—Cassell's Saturday.

## Women! Here Is A Dandy Thing

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Just think! You get rid of a hard corn, soft corn or a corn between the toes, as well as hardened calluses, without suffering one particle. Millions of women keep a tiny bottle on the dresser and never let corns ache twice.

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## TO-NIGHT

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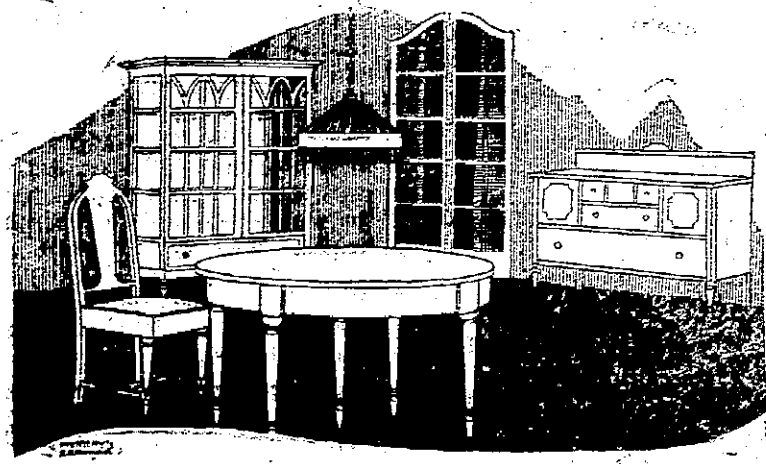
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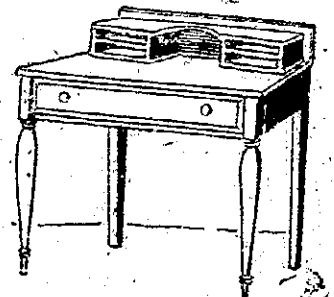
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## YOUNG MEN WILL REGISTER JUNE 5TH

June 5 has been officially fixed as registration day for the youths who have reached the age of 21 since last June 5.

The Local Board has received official notice regarding the rules for registration. The young men will be registered between the hours of 7 a. m. and 9 p. m., June 5, in the office of the Local Board in the court house.

### —DO YOUR BIT—

#### Rainbow Bridge.

A professional paper of the United States geological survey on the geology of the Navajo country describes, as perhaps the most striking erosion feature within that region, a recently discovered natural bridge, which has been named the Rainbow Bridge. It spans Bridge Canyon, on the northwest slope of Navajo mountain. Its symmetry and graceful proportions make it one of the finest natural bridges of the world.

## GREENE CO. SELECTS GO TO CAMP TAYLOR

Greene county selects who are ordered to Camp May 27, will go to Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky., according to schedule and instructions received today by the Local Board.

The men will entrain on the Pennsylvania railroad at 9:06 a. m. May 27. They have been notified to appear at 2 p. m., May 26, at the court house to receive instructions from the board. It had been previously announced that the next contingent of men from this county would go to Camp Sherman.

### —DO YOUR BIT—

**Swedish Engineers' Success.**  
Swedish engineers have solved the problem of keeping the population of Sweden comfortable during their severe winters by utilizing the energy of the natural water powers of that country for the creation of electricity, which has become the chief source of heat. Hot water tanks in hotels and all public buildings are heated by this element.

### —DO YOUR BIT—

**Treasure Troves in Nests.**  
To a mouse a bundle of paper money is simply an invitation to build a nest. Not long ago when the appraisers were going through the tumble-down house of an old English miser, they found a family of mice living in a nest of bank notes worth \$2,000. That nest in the actual quality of its building material would be hard to beat; but the diamond ring found in the nest of a jackdaw some years ago, and almost miraculously restored to its disconsolate owner after six months' loss, was valued at \$30,000, thus making that nest quite a treasure trove.

## AFTER TWO YEARS

**Xenia Testimony Remains Unshaken.**  
Time is the best test of truth. Here is a Xenia story that has stood the test of time. It is a story with a point which will come straight home to many of us.

Mrs. J. Parks, 32 W. Third St., says: "I had been troubled with a sort of lumbago that hurt me just over my kidneys and small of my back. I had tried to get relief by using different remedies and plasters but nothing helped me much until I used Doan's Kidney Pills. One box of Doan's helped my kidneys, the lumbago went away and so did all the other symptoms of kidney trouble." (Statement given January 8, 1915.)

**STILL IN GOOD HEALTH**  
On August 2, 1917, Mrs. Parks said: "It has been a long time since I have had any kidney trouble because Doan's Kidney Pills gave me a permanent cure."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Parks had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y. adv

## BANK STATEMENT

Report of the condition of the Xenia National Bank at Xenia, in the State of Ohio, at the close of business on May 16, 1918:

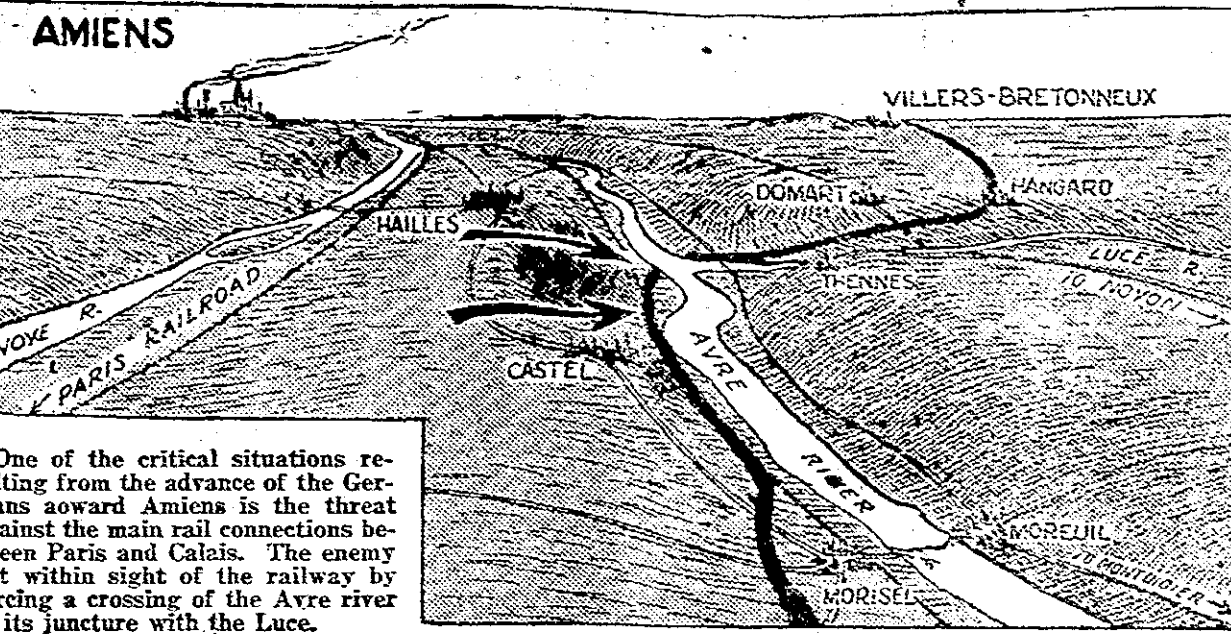
RESOURCES.			
Loans and discounts	.....	\$352,872.54	
Total loans	.....	352,872.54	
Overdrafts, secured, non-rescued	.....	352,872.54	
U. S. Bonds (other than Liberty bonds, but including certificates of indebtedness):	.....	2,377.25	
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	.....	50,000.00	
U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness owned and unpledged	.....	19,000.00	
Premium on U. S. Bonds	.....	100,000.00	
Liberty Loan Bonds:	.....		
Liberty Loan Bonds, 3 1/2 per cent and 4 per cent, unpledged	.....	13,400.00	
Payments actually made on Liberty 4 1/2 per cent Bonds	.....	135,250.00	
Bonds, securities, etc. (other than U. S.):	.....	148,650.00	
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks)	.....	66,153.78	
Total bonds, securities	.....	86,153.78	
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)	.....	4,500.00	
Value of banking house	.....	12,000.00	
Furniture and fixtures	.....	6,000.00	
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	.....	33,277.35	
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks	.....	274,036.95	
Net amounts due from banks, and trust companies other than included in items 12, 14 and 15	.....	1,322.09	
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 17)	.....	2,014.06	
Total of items 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18	.....	282,374.70	
Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items	.....	516.84	
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	.....	3,500.00	
Total	.....	\$1,053,202.35	
LIABILITIES.			
Capital stock paid in	.....	\$ 100,000.00	
Surplus fund	.....	50,000.00	
Undivided profits	.....	65,432.25	
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	.....	6,217.23	
Circulating notes outstanding	.....	62,241.02	
Net amounts due to banks, bankers and trust companies other than included in items 21 or 22	.....	262.33	
Total of items 23 and 24	.....	262.33	
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):	.....	591,114.16	
Individual deposits subject to check	.....	160,532.94	
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	.....		
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, items 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 41	.....	751,647.10	
Total	.....	\$1,053,202.35	

State of Ohio, County of Greene, ss:

I, John A. Nisbet, Cashier of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN A. NISBET, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of May, 1918.  
HARRY D. SMITH,  
Notary Public, Greene County, Ohio.  
Correct Attest:  
D. M. STEWART,  
J. E. KELLY,  
C. C. SHEARER,  
Directors.

## GERMANS NEAR RAILROAD BETWEEN PARIS AND CALAIS



One of the critical situations resulting from the advance of the Germans toward Amiens is the threat against the main rail connections between Paris and Calais. The enemy got within sight of the railway by forcing a crossing of the Ayrre river at its juncture with the Luce.

## LOCAL PEOPLE ARE INTERESTED IN NEW THOUGHT CONVENTION

Many local people will be interested and are expected to attend the meetings of the Ohio-West Virginia division of the New Thought Alliance which will be held at the Young Women's League in Dayton, Thursday and Friday. Three sessions will be held each day.

Everyone interested in religious problems and the application of mental laws to the details of everyday life and more specifically to the various phases of what is generally comprehended in the New Thought movement, will attend, but the public is also invited. W. V. Nicum of Dayton will preside over the meetings.

At the six sessions of the meeting the following speakers will be on the program: President Edgerton of the International Alliance; Dr. J. C. F. Crumrine of Cleveland; Miss Leah Simon; Miss Lida Hazlett of Richmond, Ind.; and J. H. Carter of Detroit. Chairman Nicum will also address the meeting.

### EVERYONE MUST HELP.

**To Protect Birds From Cats.**  
The pole supporting a martin-house, or any other birdhouse, and also the trunk of a tree in which a house is placed, should be protected by a cat guard, writes George Gladden in an article on birdhouse construction in the People's Home Journal. Barbed wire wound around the trunk of the tree, but held away from it by tying around the support or tree trunks, a number of stalks of rose bushes or any other branches with natural thorns.

### —HELP THE RED CROSS—

**Weeds Hard to Eradicate.**  
No one has as yet devised a method by which the entire growth of weeds may be rendered sterile nor by which the seed once in the ground may be kept from germinating. Limited spaces, such as tobacco beds, have been rendered weedless through baking or steaming the soil, but this has been done only on small areas. A tremendous expense is incurred each year in this country alone through the fight against weeds, comparable to the expense of the war upon which the country has entered, but in this war against weeds there is no discharge or putting off of armor and yet human ingenuity has been unable to make any great headway in the fight. It is discouraging.—Hartford Courant.

### —HELP THE RED CROSS—

**WAR-TIME EVENING GOWNS ARE SIMPLE**



This lovely evening gown is simplicity itself. Its pale pink satin skirt with its exquisite classical drapery acknowledges the war in its conservation of material. The sleeveless bodice of cloth of gold also conserves material, but perhaps the war is not the main reason for this latter conservation. The fan is of turquoise blue ostrich feathers.

## High School Notes

Miss Margaret Galloway delightfully entertained a crowd of high school pupils, in the nature of a birthday surprise in honor of Marion Eyer, at her home on North Galloway street, Friday evening. The young people met at the home of Miss Julia Wolf and went from there to Miss Galloway's where Mr. Eyer arriving later found the party awaiting him. Games and music furnished amusement. Delicious refreshments were served in the dining room which was decorated in green and white and lighted candles, a huge birthday cake covered with candles adorned the center of the table and furnished much amusement. The guests departed at a late hour. Those present were: Misses Margaret Galloway, Mabel Salisbury, Louise Bone, Colia Moore, Elizabeth Galloway, Janet Ballantyne, Julia Wolf and Messrs. Marion Eyer, Paul Satterfield, Jack Eavey, Philip Kyle, Stewart Macaulay, Marshall Best and Lawrence Currie.

Miss Julia Wolf motored to Delaware, to spend the weekend as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. B. W. Hough. Miss Wolf attended the high school, senior class play, Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night." She returned to her home Sunday evening.

An "X" association meeting was held Monday afternoon in the office of Mr. Simpson. Sweaters were presented to Levi Shambaugh, Bob Moore and Eugene Curlett who were members of this last season's basketball team. The other members of the team had already received sweaters as they were members of the football squad and received their sweaters at the "Football banquet." The sweaters are white with big blue "X's" on them. The basketball team had a very successful season this year, winning 17 out of 22 games. A great deal of credit is due to Coach Parrett who

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Good Cream Cheese, lb	.....	30
Eggs, doz	.....	30
Prunes, lb	.....	10
Butter Beans, lb	.....	16
Cranberry Beans, lb	.....	12
Rice Flour, lb	.....	12
A good Steel Cut Coffee, lb	.....	15
Dried Peaches in	.....	12 1-2

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9x12 Grass Rugs	.....	\$12.50 up
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These rugs just lack a little of being 9x12 size.  
Our Special Price  
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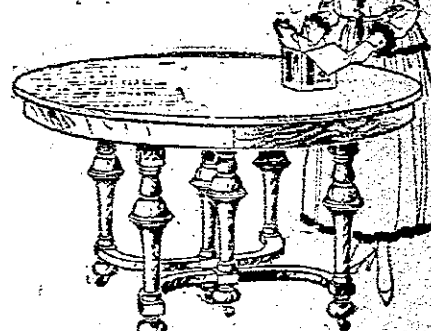
## Dining Table Specials This Week!

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For this solid oak dining table

A good, serviceable table, with 48 inch top, at a price anyone can afford.

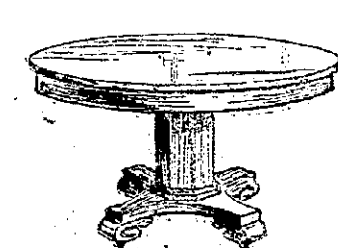
William and Mary Period dining table, mahogany,  
**\$37.50**



This beautiful and stylish table has a 54 inch top, and is 8 feet in length.

### A WONDERFUL VALUE

54 inch top Mission Table, in furnished oak  
for **\$19.75**

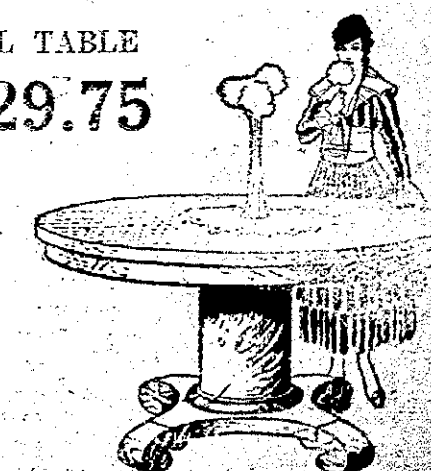


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### MASSIVE COLONIAL TABLE

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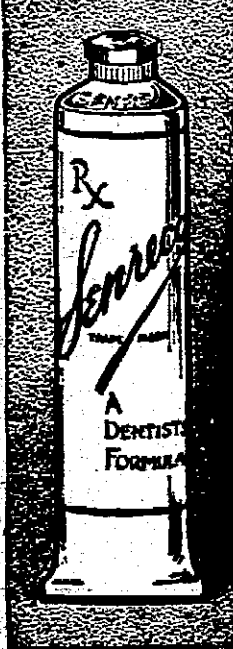
Senreco's formula is not "just a little of this and a little of that."

It was devised with a definite object in view.

The object was to produce a tooth paste possessing medicinal as well as cleansing properties—a real cleanser that could be depended upon to remove tartar and keep mouth and gums healthy.

The ideal defined, our laboratories set about to determine the proper combination to produce it. Senreco is the result. It has been tried, tested and pronounced good by hundreds of the profession. Try a tube. A single tube will prove every claim. Will show why thousands today use and demand Senreco—and are satisfied with nothing less. All druggists and toilet counters. Large 2 oz. tube—25c.

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## THE WOMAN WHO CHANGED

By JANE PHELPS.

### UNSOUGHT INFORMATION

#### CHAPTER XXII

We had been in the casino but a few moments, when a Mr. Barry, a friend of George's, came over to our table. We were sipping a cooling drink, and George, after presenting him to me, asked him to join us.

"Where's the lovely Julia?" he asked. "I rather expected to see her here, this afternoon."

"I believe she went back to Narragansett," George said coldly.

"Has Mrs. Collins been over?" I asked.

"I'd like to know of a yachting party she didn't join. I believe she would get out of a sick bed to go yachting," Mr. Barry returned. "She's game, too. Never sick."

"So you were of the party, too?" I queried, paying no attention to George's frowns.

"Rather! It was my yacht. We were sorry not to have you with us. Next time, make George break any previous engagement you have made, and bring you along. We had a great time."

"So Mr. Howard said," I replied, with all the dignity I could manage. "I shall be careful how I make engagements, hereafter, if they are to interfere with such good times," I added. Just for a moment I saw that gleam of something like pride in my husband's eyes; but it soon passed, leaving only an angry, annoyed expression.

#### Life Too Complicated

What did it all mean? Life, for me, was becoming too complicated. I had had no engagement; George had made it, deliberately, for me. AFTER he had known HE was to spend the day on a yacht. Why did he do it?

On our way home, neither of us spoke. I was too busy with my thoughts, was trying too intently to straighten things out in my mind. We were to dine at the hotel, quietly.

"Aren't you going down to dinner?" I asked, after waiting past our usual hour. I was young, had played a strenuous game of tennis, and, in spite of my unhappy thoughts, was hungry.

"No! I am not going down to have dinner. If you want any dinner you'll either go down alone, or have it up here! I am going out!"

"But you said we were to have a quiet dinner together, tonight. What's the matter, George? You are angry with me for something—what is it?"

"If you don't know, I won't tell you! The very idea of you, a child, quizzing Barry as to whom he had invited to his yachting party. Will you never learn?" he blurted out, so telling me, after all, why he was angry with me.

"But, I didn't quiz him!" I answered spiritedly, recalling that fleeting expression I had seen on George's face, and, taking courage, "Mr. Barry was the one who did the quizzing! If you remember, he asked about the lovely Julia." Then, as he didn't answer, I added: "He seemed to think you should know all about her."

George flushed angrily.

"You insist upon drawing conclusions. Do so," and taking his hat and stick, he left me.

#### A Lonely Dinner

At first, I thought I couldn't eat anything. But I was young, and healthy, so I called the waiter and ordered a simple dinner. In spite of my loneliness, and my jealousy—yes, I was horribly jealous—I enjoyed it. And why should I punish myself by going to bed hungry? George never did anything so foolish; he was probably over to the casino dining with his friends.

Was it ever going to be possible for me to please George? I wondered. Was there another man living who would be so unjust. He was unjust.

## A. T. ARNOLD STARTS THIRD YEAR AS OHIO SUNDAY SCHOOL SECRETARY



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Brings Sunday schools of the state association through a successful year which is his second in this state and follows wide executive experience in other states. Mr. Arnold has an ambitious program for 1918-19, which he will unfold at the state meeting at Springfield, May 23-31.

## ADVERTISED LETTERS

Remaining unclaimed in the Post Office at Xenia, Greene County, O., for the week ending May 18, 1918.

LIST NO. 20.

Arndt Harman  
Levalley Mrs. Mary J. (Homestead Pl.)  
Miller Miss Elpha  
Olden Mrs. Mary (728 E. 2nd St.)  
Scott C. W.  
Hornia Miss Molla (235 W. Cane St.)  
Hustead Miss Oliva  
Johnson Mrs. R. L. (204 E. St.)  
Kogler John (R. R. 3)  
Lucas Miss Marguerite  
Reynolds Hazel Louise (R. R.)  
Smith Mrs. Mary  
Stonk Mr. and Mrs. John (21st)  
Vinkes Miss Liller (158 Main St.)  
Weimer Gale (R. F. D.)  
Williamson Miss Carrie (R. F. D.)  
H. E. RICE, P. M.

—DO YOUR BIT—

## The Ohio War Board

Says **Today**

## O. S. AND S. O. HOME

The Plumbers are remodeling the hard water system of the girls' cottages on the east side of the Main Building.

Butcher S. R. Haines returned to duty Wednesday after a successful operation at McClellan's hospital in Xenia.

J. W. Lissinger, of Mansfield, has accepted the position as Assistant Gardener. He takes the place of Mr. Johnson, who resigned a few weeks ago.

Peter Mangan received a letter from his son, Ernest, who is with the colors at Camp Green, N. C., requesting no mail be sent him as he expects to leave for somewhere in the near future.

The lily ponds are being repaired preparatory to planting the water lilies, and other water plants.

The florists are transplanting the summer flowers in front of the Main Building.

The Cadets of the Home Battalion are cleaning their equipment for the coming annual inspection.

—COME ACROSS—

### Electrically Heated Beds.

In view of the elaborate care with which most details of sick nursing have been worked out, it is more than a little curious, says the Lancet, that the maintenance of the patient's warmth in bed should have been left so long to the precarious ministry of the hot-water bottle. At the Treloar Cripples' hospital, Alton, two wards are now supplied with electric mattresses, which have proved both safe and convenient in practice, even when a child is the occupant of the bed. The mattress is differentially heated, and the heating element is so disposed that the maximum warmth is generated at the foot end, less in the middle, and none at all at the head end.

—COME ACROSS—

### Fainting Goats.

Did you ever see a goat faint? Probably not. But the thing does happen—not, perhaps, to the every-day goat, but to animals of that breed which are found in Tennessee. Oddly enough, in that state the "f.-ning goats," as they are called, seem to be restricted to one small locality. In other respects they are just like ordinary goats, but on slight provocation they will "throw a fit." If suddenly approached or otherwise startled they fall to the ground. Apparently the trouble with them is not heart-weakness, but a peculiar nervous complaint. Any sort of alarm gets their goat, so to speak.



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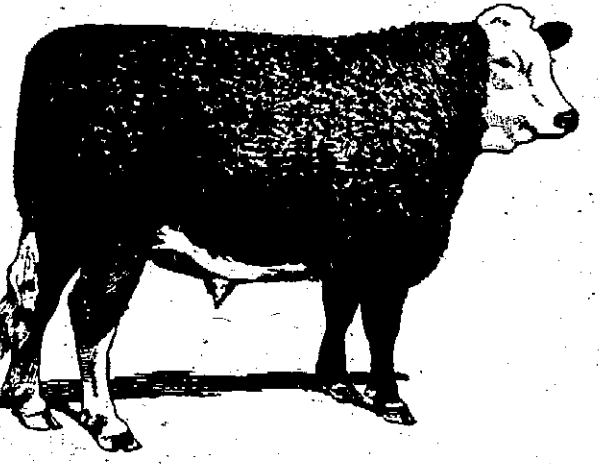
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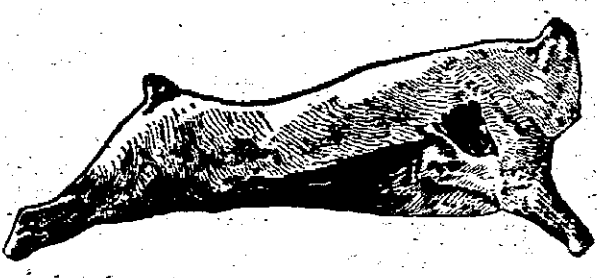


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## WANTED

WANTED—Situation as companion or to do light house-work by middle-aged woman. Address M. W., care of Gazette.

WANTED—Chamber maid at Grand Hotel. 5-23

AGENTS Get next to live proposition. Ideal steak tender. Sell on sight. Makes chuck steak tender as porterhouse. Big profits. Free samples. Trixie Mfg. Co., Dept. A-1, Muncie, Indiana. 5-23

WANTED—A woman for cooking and general housework, 618 North King. 5-23

SALEMEN to represent old established manufacturers and sell farmers and painters direct factory output of widely advertised roofing, cement, paints and specialties. Experience unnecessary. The Acorn Refining Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 5-22

GIRLS WANTED—Over 18 in morning room. Call at factory, W. A. Moran, Xenia Shoe Co. 4-18

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Stable for two horses, good shed for automobile or wagon. Phone 491, 27 East Second St. 5-23

FOR RENT—Six down stairs rooms, gas, city and electric water. Inquire at 530 W. Second street, west door. Lida Macey. 5-23

FOR RENT—Living room in Gazette building for man only. Call at Gazette office. 5-23

FOR RENT—Furnished room for one or two gentlemen; strictly modern and reasonable. Centrally located. Bell Phone 318-R. 5-23

FOR RENT—A modern room for light housekeeping; centrally located. Bell 332. 5-23

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth rock eggs for hatching. Our birds were winners at Dayton, Columbus and Springfield. Get our prices. Write or phone. Leigh Bickett, Xenia, O. R. 3 Bell phone 103-2. June 1

FOR SALE—Short horn bulls, 1 full Scotch, Poland China boar, registered. Bell 16-K Spring Valley. 5-22

FOR SALE—White enamel bed, springs, mattress, good as new, also good base burner. Tel. Bell 190-7. 5-23

FOR SALE—One 8 ft McCormick binder tongue truck, first-class condition for sale cheap. Greene County Hardware Co. 5-23

FOR SALE—Jersey sweet potatoes, Stone, Bonny Best, Red and Yellow Ponderosa tomatoes and cabbage plants. Charles Grandin, 230 High street. 5-23

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey male hog. Call Meryl Jones, Citizen phone 5-839. 5-23

FOR SALE—Automobile, 5 passenger, thoroughly overhauled. Bargain. Mortgagee's sale. H. C. Armstrong, Attorney. 5-23

FOR SALE—Doors, 7 ft. 8 inches by 30 inches. Bell 63-R. 5-23

FOR SALE—About twenty bushels of gold coin seed potatoes. Call Fred McClain. 5-23

FOR SALE—Moving van cheap. Bell phone 4014-W. 5-21

FOR SALE—Favorite gas range and cabinet. Mrs. Bailey, 5-21

15,000 sweet potato plants ready now. 100,000 late cabbage seed, grown first come, first served. Engle Floral Co., Dayton Hill. 5-20

FOR SALE—Upright piano in excellent condition. Can be bought cheap, owner having left city. Call 632-W. 5-23

FOR SALE—All kinds of cook stoves, wood or coal, also gas ranges and gasoline stoves. All kinds of stove repairs. Andy Phol, Secondhand store Third street, two doors west of Detroit. 4-18

FOR SALE—Single iron bed, springs and mattress. Citizens' phone 304 Black. 5-22

FOR SALE—No. 1, sound five year old horse. J. F. Geger, Dayton ave. Both phones. 5-22

FOR SALE—Germaniums, pansies, gal-ties, asters, all kinds of vegetable plants. All true stock. Prices reasonable. Edward Nichols, Burlington Pike. 5-23

FOR SALE—Jersey sweet potato plants. J. W. Baumann, on Lewis Beal farm. 5-22

FOR SALE—Horse, weight 1,600, serviceably sound, good liner, down pure, cheap. Two miles due west Maple corner. Phone Mutual. New Burlington exchange. W. A. Ferguson, Xenia, Ohio, R. 1. 5-23

FOR QUICK SALE—Hupmobile 36, 5 passenger, newly painted, self starter, electric lights, good condition. Will sell cheap if sold at once. Also one Overland in the condition. A bargain for quick sale. Sutton Auto Sales Co. 50-52 East Main St. 5-1-18

FOR SALE—Second-hand chairs, bureaus, tables, organ, bed, sewing machine. Harbine, Allen building. 6-7

FOR SALE—General purpose and driving horse and harness for sale. Harbine, Allen building. 6-7

FOR SALE—232 acres 170 acre, 60 acres Harbine, Allen bldg. 6-8

FOR SALE—Piano, fine upright, will sell on small monthly payments. Harbine, Allen building. 6-7

FOR SALE—Motorcycle for sale. Price reasonable. John Harbine, Allen building. Telephones. 6-7

FOR SALE—Cedarville house. Sell \$25 down, \$7 monthly. John Harbine, Allen building. Telephones. 6-7

FOR SALE—McCormick Binder. Good condition, 7 ft. cut. Price \$50. A. E. Swaby, Cedarville, T. R. 2. Bell phone 353 Clifton Ex. 5-25

FOR SALE—Have on hand a good supply of corn fertilizer. Sales A Smith, 44 West Main St. 4-10-18

## MISCELLANEOUS

BREEDERS of Draft Horses—Notice—The Breckon station, 2220 7th season of 1918 at Oakland farm, one mile north west of Fairground. "Coxie" has proved himself a sire of good colts. As a five year old he weighs 1,500 pounds in farm condition, is dappled black, has a fine disposition, easy keeper and is a real draft horse. All over \$250 for living foal. James H. Hawkins, Bell phone 741 R-4. May 26

GREENE CO. WOOL CUTTER has just a few days open in May. 426 East Market street. 5-22

SEED CORN—Parties who have orders at the Belden Milling Co. for seed corn should call and get same at once. Belden Milling Co. 5-22

CASH FOR OLD FALSE TEETH—Don't matter if broken. I pay \$2.00 to \$15.00 per set, also cash for old gold, silver, platinum, dental gold and old gold jewelry. Will send cash by return mail and will hold goods 10 days for sender's approval. My price. Mail to L. Maser, 2007-5th St., Philadelphia, Pa. 5-23

\$50 WEEKLY and automobile furnished men everywhere placing samples wonderful fuel product with automobile owners. 30 worth equals gallon gasoline. Output furnished free. Eastway Co., Sta. F, Louisville, Ky. 5-22

DEAD STOCK WANTED—We will pay positively the highest prices. Prompt attention given to all calls. The George Spencer Fertilizer Co., Bell 47-R, Citizens 20. 5-24-18

FIREBACKS—New and Second-hand. Store 638 1st, 638 E. Main. Winter Clothes, Stoves, Furniture, Carpets, etc. Citizens phone G-234. 5-24-18

## REAL ESTATE

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—I am offering for sale on North Galloway street, two story frame house, 7 rooms, gas, water, lot 60x160, fruit trees, etc. Call to move to country. A. W. Tresise, City Bank Bldg., Greene and Main street. 5-22

A HOME FOR quick sale, a 5-room cottage, gas for light and heat, both kinds of water, and in a good location. Price is right for quick sale. Call or see Tom C. Long, 18 So. Detroit St. 5-21

BUSINESS income property in heart of Xenia. Sell cheap. Harbine, Allen building. 6-12

REAL ESTATE AND LOANS—Notes bought. John Harbine, Jr., Allen building, Xenia. 5-7-18

COMMERCIAL—Real estate and insurance. Will buy or sell your property, or loan you money. It will pay you to see me. Office 19 South Detroit St. Gazette building. Both phones. 5-28-18

JOHN W. PRUGH, "The Real Estate Man," will buy or sell your property. Money to loan. Twelve years of successful business. A square deal. Office No. 6 North Detroit St. Both phones. 5-28-18

Material for Paper. Over fifty kinds of bark are now used to manufacture paper, besides banana skins, bean stalks, pea vines, coconut fiber, clover and hay, straw, fresh-water weeds, sea weeds, and over one hundred and fifty kinds of grasses.

## XENIA MARKETS

XENIA GRAIN AND PRODUCE	
Corn, per bushel	\$1.25
Oats, per bushel	.80c
Wheat, per bushel	\$2.07
Rye, per bushel	\$1.50
Baled Timothy Hay	\$23.00
Mixed Hay	\$23.00
Clover Hay	\$23.00
Clover Seed	\$15.00
Straw	29c
Eggs, wholesale	35c
Eggs, retail	50c
Creamery butter, retail	35c
Country butter, wholesale	35c
Country butter, retail	45c
Oleomargarine, retail	35c

XENIA LIVE STOCK

Corrected daily by Faulkner & St. John.

CATTLE	
Good heifers	\$7.00@7.50
Shipping steers	\$9.00@10.00
Cows	\$5.00@6.50
Bologna cows	\$2.50@5.00
Veal calves	\$11.00
Lambs	\$12.00
Sheep	\$8.00

HOGS

Hogs, 200 up	\$17.00
Stags	\$14.00
Stags	\$11.00

XENIA LIVE STOCK

Corrected daily by Mullen Bros. and Peterson.

CATTLE	
Shipping steers	\$9.00@10.00
Butcher steers & heifers	\$7.00@8.00
Cows, fat	\$6.00@6.50
Bologna cows	\$4.00@5.00
Veal Calves	\$12.00
Spring Lambs	\$10.00@14.00
Sheep	\$6.00@8.00

HOGS

Hogs, 200 up	\$16.95
Light hogs	\$16.50

## DAYTON MARKETS

GRAIN

Receipts 2 cars, market steady.

Wheat—\$2.10 per bushel.	
Oats—73c per bushel.	
Rye—\$1.70 per bushel.	

HOGS

Receipts 3 cars, market 10 and 15 cents higher.

Choice heavies	\$17.25@17.20
Select butchers and packers	\$17.40@17.50
Heavy Yorkers	\$17.40@17.50
Light Yorkers	\$17.25@17.50
Pigs	\$16.00@17.00
Choice fat sows	\$15.00@15.50
Common to fair sows	\$14.50@15.00
Stags	\$12.00@12.00

CATTLE

Receipt 7 cars, market steady to strong.

Fair to good shippers	\$13.00@15.00
Good to choice butchers	\$12.00@14.00
Fair to medium butchers	\$12.00@13.00
Good to choice heifers	\$11.00@13.00
Fair to good heifers	\$9.00@11.00
Choice fat cows	\$11.00@12.00
Fair to good fat cows	\$8.00@10.00
Butcher bulls	\$11.00@12.00
Bologna cows	\$6.50@8.00
Bologna bulls	\$10.00@11.00
Calves	\$9.00@13.00

SHEEP AND LAMBS

Receipts light.

Sheep	\$8.00@11.00
Lambs	\$12.00@16.00

## LOST-FOUND

STRAYED OR STOLEN—Very large, pure white male cat. Great pet. Edward Robert Stevens, 126 East 2nd street. Bell phone 458-W.

LOST—Collie dog sable and white, with cut on back of neck. Reward. J. P. Fudge, Bell 532-W. 5-22

FOUND—A stray cow, can be obtained at F. F. Breakall's Yellow Springs.

LOST—Ehk Cut button. Reward. O. M. Lees. 5-27

## COURT NEWS

Alleging that his wife brought a "gentlemen friend" of hers, one Charles Young, to live with them, and that he was forced to leave his own home, Fred K. Jackson, has sued for divorce from Anna Jackson, whom he married September 17, 1902. He charges his wife with wilful absence for more than three years, and says that she and Young are living together in Dayton as husband and wife, and have one child born five years ago. He asks for the custody of his elder child, Clifford, who is living with him in this city.

—DO YOUR BIT—

## EAST END NEWS

The revival at Zion Baptist church is the place for all Christians who want to see sinners brought to Christ. Prof. Nix, the great evangelist singer sang a soul stirring song last night, "Let Jesus Fix It for You." He will sing tonight. Rev. Beeton will preach tonight, subject "What will You, do with Jesus?"

Rev. R. A. Adams, D. D., the noted evangelist and lecturer of Kansas City, Mo., will stop off in Xenia enroute to Baltimore, and deliver his famous lecture at St. John's A. M. E. Church, Tuesday night. The subject of his lecture is "The Negro and the Times." Dr. Adams will hold a revival for a union of 20 churches in Baltimore.

Mrs. Priscilla Baker has returned from Hamilton, where she was called on account of the critical illness of her uncle, John Carpenter, that city. He is still very sick.

Damon Lodge, No. 29, K. of P., and Unity Court, No. 12, Court of Calantha, held their annual Thanksgiving services at Zion Baptist Church, Sunday afternoon. It was an inspiring and enjoyable service and absolutely free from the many surplusses which have characterized such occasions. The papers by Miss Hattie Hawkins, Mrs. Sallie Watkins and Mrs. A. C. Scurry very creditably treated the subjects assigned them. The music by St. John's A. M. E. choir received the unstinted praise of all. Hon. Sully James, who delivered the principal address, spoke with force and eloquence. His address was teeming with good and wholesome advice to the race and he rebuked many things which we ought to correct. He strongly urged loyalty in the fullest sense in the impending crisis. Mrs. Fletcher Harris, of Springfield, brought down the house in her soul stirring solo, which so deservedly accorded the Negro for his participation and bravery in the many wars that have occurred. She sang it with sweetness and effect. Dr. H. R. Hawkins presided in his usual easy and pleasing manner. Dr. Jordan, of Springfield, Past Grand Chancellor, also spoke in praise of the accomplishments of the order. Both he and Attorney James urged the formation of a uniform rank here.

East End News.

All members of Damon Lodge, No. 29, K. of P., are urgently requested to be present tonight. The revision of the by-laws will be voted on. Other matters of great importance must be given attention. P. M. Liggins, C. C. George I. Gaines, K. of R. and S. Eureka Needle-work club will meet at the residence of Mrs. Arthur Gilkey, East Church street, Thursday evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

Wanted—Washing to do at home. Call at 908 East Market street.

Mrs. Wilbur Combs spent Sunday in Xenia, visiting his wife.

Rev. W. W. Reddick, of Americus, Ga., has been appointed as state director of the War Savings Committee among the negroes in the state of Georgia.

Fifteen thousand colored people took part in the recent parade in the interest of the War Savings Stamp movement, in Atlanta, Ga.

St. John's A. M. E. choir practice will be postponed this week.

HENDLEY CALVIN PETERS.

Hendley Calvin Peters, an old and prominent citizen, died yesterday afternoon at 5:10, following a long illness of about five years. He was stricken with apoplexy September 1st, 1913, and never recovered from it, although he was able to be about for a while. He was born in Rockbridge County, Virginia, December 19, 1860, and was 58 years old when he died. He came to Xenia when about 12 years old and has lived here ever since. He was married to Miss Hattie Collins December 24, 1894, and had two children, blessed their union; both of them survive him. They are James and Howard Peters, both of this city. He followed the carpentry trade and engaged in the grocery business most of his life. He was quite industrious and frugal. He was a member of St. John's A. M. E. Church and Damon Lodge, No. 29, K. of P. Besides his widow and two sons, he leaves three sisters and a brother, as follows: Mrs. Jennie Brown, of Chicago; Mrs. Susie Jackson, of Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. Anna Peters, of Alto, Va.; Dr. J. H. Peters, of Danville, Ky., and one grand child, Martha Peters, and a number of other relatives. Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at two o'clock, at St. John's A. M. E. Church. For the last nine years, the deceased and his sons have conducted the Xenia Dry-Cleaning establishment.

## XENIA MAN IS VICTIM OF AUTO THIEF

The victim of a smooth auto-thief, Harry Moore, well-known and popular local young man is out a \$625 Buick machine which he purchased in Cleveland last summer it just being identified as a stolen automobile and returned to its rightful owner.

The machine was the property of Dr. Freeman of Cleveland. The thief was fixing the machine on a Cleveland street when Mr. Moore met him and asked him where he could buy a second-hand machine. At once the occupant of the car offered the roadster for sale, saying he would soon be called in the draft. The deal completed, Mr. Moore drove the machine to this city and had since been using it.

Through the engine and machine numbers furnished the Buick factory with a request for new parts, the automobile company identified the machine as the stolen car and notified Cleveland authorities. Sunday a Mr. Waldick, a representative of the Buick company, and his wife, came to this city and were given the machine by Mr. Moore. They drove the car through to Cleveland Sunday.

Mr. Moore purchased the machine in good faith and was entirely innocent of the duplicity of the salesman. He never suspected his illegitimate ownership of the automobile until he was notified by the authorities to hold the car.

—HELP THE RED CROSS—

## CATHERINE GREENE CHAPTER ENTERTAINED AT THE WEAVER HOME

Mrs. Charles A. Weaver and Miss Sarah Williams were hostesses at the annual meeting of Catherine Greene Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, which was held at Mrs. Weaver's home on West Market street, Saturday afternoon.

Flags decorated the home, and patriotism was the keynote of the meeting. There was no program arranged, except the transaction of the annual business, and the hearing of reports from delegates to the Continental Congress, which was held in Washington, in April.

Six members were received into the chapter and the same officers and committees which were in office last year were re-elected. They are:

Regent, Mrs. William M. Wilson; vice-regent, Mrs. A. C. Messenger; secretary, Miss Evelyn H. Galloway; treasurer, Mrs. Charles S. Johnson; historian, Miss Frances Bigger; registrar, Mrs. Karl R. Babb. Mrs. Andrew S. Frazer and Mrs. Robert D. Adair were re-elected members of the council of safety.

The chapter decided to increase its financial contributions for patriotic work, and voted to give \$50 to the Red Cross in its present drive, \$10 to the Comfort Kit Committee, and \$5 to Lewis Post, G. A. R., for Memorial Day.

The chapter went on record as opposing the promiscuous decoration of graves on Memorial Day. It has grown to be a custom for people to adorn the graves of their relatives and friends with flowers on Memorial Day, a day which was set aside for paying tribute to the nation's dead heroes. Patriotic organizations are making an effort to stop this practice.

Among the guests at the meeting Saturday was one of the chapter members, Mrs. Charles T. Walkley, of East Orange, N. J., who is the guest of Judge and Mrs. C. C. Shearer.

—HELP THE RED CROSS—

Proper Light Important.

Many nervous as well as other diseases are caused by incorrect illumination. The eye is a subject of prime consideration in connection with our health and happiness. Eye fatigue spoils the disposition; as that is one of the conditions given for inefficient work, we find here again a reduction in efficiency and a cause for more loss of the workman's time. The first loss was mechanical, the second is physical; both, when reduced to a dollar-and-cents basis, show a large percentage over the cost of the lighting that would be required to eliminate them. As judgment is dependent upon perception, and perception upon the sight, then the laborer, to be efficient, must be able to see fine details and small objects at close range with sharpness and distinction, to distinguish objects at a distance with accuracy, and to have clear perception of all objects in the intermediate space.

—HELP THE RED CROSS—

Artificial Eyes for the Dead.

Oddly enough the first artificial eyes were not made for living persons but for the dead. In the days of the earliest Pharaohs the Egyptian embalmers removed the eyes of the defunct (for what would nowadays be called a "swell funeral"), poured plaster or wax into the sockets and set in the latter eyes of volcanic glass or semiprecious stone of one kind or another.

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## FRENCH AND AMERICANS ADVANCE TO GRENADE ATTACK



Frenchmen and Americans are advancing across No Man's Land somewhere on the front in France. They are moving cautiously, ready to use the grenades they are carrying in the sacks slung over their shoulders.

Vegetable Oil Power. It seems that one of the advantages of the latest type of the Diesel oil engine lies in its ability to produce power by burning not only the cheap grades of natural mineral oils and the by-products of coal distillation and coke plants, tar and creosote oil, but also vegetable and animal oils. Indeed, it is claimed, it can use peanut oil almost as effectively as mineral oil. The use of fat oils from vegetable sources for fuel will, it is predicted, promote industrial development in regions where the cost of coal is prohibitive—in northern Africa, for instance, and in many parts of our own country. The inventor of the engine declares that these oils make it certain that motive power can still be produced from the heat of the sun, even when all other natural stores of solid and liquid fuels are exhausted.

Took No Notice.

"What kind of people are your neighbors?" a suburban lady was asked. "Oh, I never take the slightest notice of them or their doings, my dear," she said. "They don't keep a maid, and a charwoman comes on Wednesdays and Fridays. The tradesmen never call for orders, the husband brings various parcels home from the city, and sits down to dinner in his shirt sleeves. The wife is a most dowdy creature, wears hideous hats, and has no 'at home' day. The children attend the council school and the baby hasn't been vaccinated. But, as I say, I know nothing at all about them, and take not the slightest notice of them."—London Tit-Bits.

At the Bank. Excited Depositor—"Do you mean to say that this check is worthless?" Cashier—"Not exactly. It seems to have been worth \$10 to the man who gave it to you."

Too Good to Waste on Poetry. A western poet refers to a mole on a pretty woman's face as a "tear drop petrified by its own audacity." Any man with an imagination like that ought to give up poetry and peddle ice.

## BUY GOOD CANDY

When candy is good, it is worth all that you pay for it, and when it is bad, it is dear at any price.

We select candy as carefully as we select drugs. We sell only the kind that we know to be right.

Take home a box



# RED CROSS WORKERS MUST KEEP UP PRESENT PACE TO THE END

The whole hearted spirit in which more definite picture of America's future responsibilities. The public realizes that the Red Cross performs a very important work in co-operating with the army and navy in the care of the wounded and the general comfort of the soldiers and sailors. They do not know as fully that the Red Cross is performing a great task of vast importance in helping pay the debt America owes those nations who for three years have borne the brunt of this great struggle.

In a recent speech ex-President William Howard Taft reminded our people that there is no instrumentality more effective at this time to strengthen the morale of our allies than the American Red Cross.

The first day's work in the city and county was quite satisfactory but the committee announces that the workers will have to maintain the same pace throughout the seven days of the campaign in order to put the county "over the top." Workers are urged to stay on the job early and late. Every person in the county must be solicited and everyone must give to the limit of their ability to give. The county's quota is \$18,000. This is quite a sum of money and it will be necessary for everyone to help if it is to be raised.

—HELP THE RED CROSS—  
Not a Great Many of Him.  
"A real man," said Uncle Eben, "is one that is jes' as generous wif other people's mistakes as he is wif his own."

Different conditions are faced in this Second Red Cross War Fund campaign. The people now have a

## AMERICA'S HEAVY BOOT WILL PUT THE GERMAN FROG OUT OF BUSINESS



This is the heavy American boot that is going to crush the kaiser and his Prussian junker satellites from the globe. Prussian militarism is pictured here as a frog trying to expand itself to cover the whole world unaware of the impending destruction by the Americans.

## HOW ABOUT IT, PETE?

Clerk of Courts George W. Sheets has received two letters from France, one from Clyde J. Kussmaul personally and the other from Kussmaul, Edgar H. Reeves and W. M. Huxley. All three are members of the 19th Casual Company, Q. M. C. A. E. F.—A. P. O. 714, France.

In his letter, Kussmaul, referred to some cigars which were evidently a present of "Pete" Fisher. According to Kussmaul he gave them to some Hun prisoners and the next day they buried them with military honors.

—DO YOUR BIT—

### Sawdust in the Industries.

The heaviest sawdust is that obtained from ebony. It is black in color, although there are traces of tiny white fibers. The ebony is not a large tree, and its wood is not black through and through; the sapwood is white. It is particles of the sapwood that appear in the ebony sawdust, mingled in the sawing, but to the average eye, except on very close inspection, the ebony sawdust appears black. Holly furnished the whitest of sawdusts. This sawdust is made into a very fine pulp form, is used for floor material and enters into the composition of certain grades of wallpaper.

### —HELP THE RED CROSS—

#### Value of Old Shoes.

From one ton of old shoes can be extracted metals to the value of \$4.70; grease, \$7.25; animal black, \$50; sulphate of ammonia, \$22.50; a total of \$84.45, or about 15 cents a pair. The grease is a good lubricant and the animal black is said by M. C. Lamb, the English chemist who is responsible for these figures, to be equal to the best of bone black.

## GUNNER DEPEW IS ASSURED OF LARGE AUDIENCE IN XENIA

At 2 o'clock C. W. Hitchcock, who is Gunner Depew's traveling companion, informed the committee in charge of his lecture at the Methodist church tonight, that this engagement concludes his speaking tour. When Gunner Depew arrived in Xenia he was ill, suffering from his wounds and a physician who was summoned directed that he be taken to a hospital in Chicago at once. Determined not to disappoint Xenia people the young man asked to be allowed to remain here until evening and fill the engagement. On condition that he remain seated while speaking the physician consented.

In order that he may catch an early train the lecture will begin at 7:30. Be on time.

Hundreds are expected to attend the lecture of Gunner Albert Depew, sailor, and at one time prisoner of the Germans, many times wounded and teeming with tales of the barbaric treatment of the Huns, who will

speak at the First M. E. church, Tuesday night at eight o'clock. Though just a lad, Gunner Depew has a tale of German cruelty that will put red hot fighting spirit into the blood of every American who hears it. It will make you want to get in on crushing cruelty out of the world, on breaking the iron hearts of the German leaders. The speaker has a message and appeal to every patriot in America that touches home in its significance.

Labelled as the fighting, laughing American sailor boy, Gunner makes friends of his audience and he tells his story in a straightforward, unembellished manner that impresses one with its truthfulness. If you think this is the kaiser's war and his only, you will change your mind after you hear the revelations of the brutality in the character of the German people in this amazing narrative.

The program starts promptly at 8 o'clock with music and it is hoped everyone will be on time. Xenians are offered a treat in this address, no truer narratives of the great war being ever heard from human mouth.

### —HELP THE RED CROSS— CENTRALIZES WAR LABOR ACTIVITIES



Felix Frankfurter.

Felix Frankfurter, a special assistant to Secretary Baker since the United States entered the war, has been appointed administrator of war labor activities. His job is to bring under central control the labor activities of all government departments having to do with the production of war materials. Mr. Frankfurter only recently returned from England and France, where he studied war labor activities.

Defined.  
"What's a tip, pop?" "You've heard, haven't you, my son, of parting a fool from his money?" "Yes, pop." "Well, a tip is what they do it with."

Cut This Out—It Is Worth Money  
DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with five cents to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Sayre & Hemphill.

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TO-NIGHT

## "Six Shooter Andy"

Wm. Fox 5 reel drama, featuring Tom Mix and an all star cast.

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First Episode, entitled "My Mother"

Featuring Benjamin Chapin. The life story of Abraham Lincoln. It will make you laugh. It will make you cry. It will make you think.

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# ORPHIUM

TO-NIGHT

### "THE GOOD FOR NOTHING"

World 5 Reel Comedy drama featuring Carlyle Blackwell, Muriel Ostriche, Evelyn Greeley and an all star cast. Story, can a man make a success of his life even though he fails to make money?

### "THE HIDDEN HAND"

Pathe 2 Reel Serial Story featuring Doris Kenyon, Sheldon Lewis and an all star cast.

TWO—BIG FEATURES—TWO

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT

### "A RICH MAN'S DARLING."

Bluebird 5 reel comedy drama, featuring Louise Lovely, Edna Maison and an all star cast. Story—How Far Should a Son Go to Protect His Father?

### "THE MYSTERY SHIP."

in two reels, with Ben Wilson, Neva Gerber, Kingsley Benedict and others. Growing more unsolvable than ever.

TWO—BIG FEATURES—TWO

## BRINGING UP FATHER

BY GEORGE McMANUS

